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### IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Eric CHABRIERE et al.

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Application No. 10/577,658 Conf. 8476

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NOVEL PHOSPHATE-BINDING PROTEIN, PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING SAME AND USE THEREOF

# RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

January 17, 2007

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 USC 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (Notification) mailed on November 17, 2006, applicants enclose herewith a declaration of the inventors in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a). The surcharge of \$130 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (fee code 1617/2617) was paid at the time of filing the application. Thus, applicants believe that no fee is due at this time.

Applicants also submit herewith a Supplemental Application Data Sheet to correct the addresses of the second and third inventors.

Docket No. 0508-1160 Appln. No. 10/577,658

Applicants also submit a substitute sequence listing pursuant to 37 CFR 1.821-1.825.

Respectfully submitted,

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# NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

Copy of the International Application filed on 05/01/2006

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- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 05/01/2006
- Biochemical Sequence Listing filed on 05/01/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 05/01/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/01/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 05/01/2006

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" and a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is cautioned that correction of the above items may cause the specification and drawings page count to exceed 100 pages. If the specification and drawings exceed 100 pages, applicant will need to submit the required application size fee.

For questions regarding compliance to 37 CFR 1.821-1.825 requirements, please contact:

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- For Patentin Software Program Help, call Patent EBC at 1-866-217-9197 or directly at 703-305-3028 / 703-308-6845 between the hours of 6 a.m. and 12 midnight, Monday through Friday, EST.
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Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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This responds to the Notification of Missing Requirements of November 17, 2006.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.